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## WM. LAUT

### OVERHAUL--WHY?

**H**AVE you thought of the difficulty you are going to have this year in getting repairs for your machines? It is the most important thing for you to be thinking about right now. Your crops may depend upon it.

You, no doubt, realize that all the manufacturers are hard put to it to get materials and the transportation facilities, freight and express, are congested to such an extent that shipments go through very slowly now, and no doubt they will be slower by harvest time.

Every implement manufacturer and agent in Canada realizes this today and the utmost is being done to take care of the farmer's requirements for repairs. Unless the farmers are also foresighted, many of them are likely to realize the difficulty too when the season for field work opens. They are going to be greatly handicapped if they wait until just before they are ready to use the machines before overhauling them and finding out what parts will have to be replaced.

We cannot urge you too strongly to get busy on this. Overhaul every machine on your place and see just what parts you need to put them in good working order, then place your order at once. This is the only way you can be sure of having the new parts in time for use.

The International Harvester Co. are making every possible effort to get ample stocks of repair parts. Under normal conditions you could expect quick action on repair orders sent to us, but at this time conditions are not normal and it is a personal and also a patriotic duty to look ahead and be prepared to avoid confusion and crop wasting delays.

Remember the first orders received, are the first to be served, so you can recognize the importance of overhauling your machines now and seeing what you will need, and getting your order placed.

Better be Ready than Sorry. Do it Now.

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Hogs consigned to us last week netted \$18.00 to the farmers. Wanted.—Scrap Iron. Apply U.F.A. Office. Fire Insurance.

We have a car load of Salt, Cattle, Dairy and Table. Honey. Lost.—Roan Heifer, three years old. Branded "W" on right ribs. Reward for information. W. J. Anderson.

A Team of Light Mares for Sale, or would trade for a heavy one. Apply C. S. James. For sale or trade.—A Dapple Grey Grade Percheron Stallion, weight about 1,500 lbs. Phone or see E. F. Kirkham at Mr. Jas. Roddy's farm Phone No. 214.

Strayed—From 5 miles S.E. of Crossfield, 4 year old Percheron Mare, light straw color; flat rump; branded "X" on left thigh. \$5 reward for information leading to recovery. D. Wylie, Box 42, Crossfield.

For Sale.—Two Light Horses, one Gelding 3 years old; one Filly 2 years old. Apply M. Casey.

For Sale, Two Berkshire Boars, purebred but not registered. O. E. ROEDLER.

Wanted, Four or Five White Wyandotte Cockerels. I. C. Hubbs.

Wanted.—Some Good Second Hand Heavy Harness. O. S. James.

For Sale.—Several Pure Bred Plymouth Rock Cocks and Cockerels. J. Cressman.

For Sale.—One Registered Shorthorn Bull, 2 years. Apply W. Tweedale.

For Exchange or Sale.—Three Rhode Island Red R.C. Roosters, 1 year old. Apply to Geo. Landymore.

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### Local and General

**Only another week if you want to save that 50c.**

Mr. Bray left town on Tuesday on a business trip to Edmonton.

Rev. H. M. Horricks is attending the Social Service League Convention at Calgary.

Mr. H. McPhee is representing our local lodge at the Independent Order of Oddfellows Convention at Edmonton.

Don't forget 'The Flowing Bowl' will be repeated in the Union Church on Friday evening, Feb. 22nd, in aid of the Crossfield and District Agricultural Society.

CHURCH OF THE ASCENSION

2nd Sunday in Lent, Feb. 24.

10 a.m. Sunday School.

11 a.m. Morning Prayer and Sermon

W. R. Stafford has recently purchased the Black Percheron Stallion "Togo" [4107] #01888, from E. J. Wigle, Kingsville, Ont. This horse has the breeding, bone and conformation, and will be a favorite with many breeders in the district.

Iris Fike has purchased the registered "Cody" Stallion "Prince Cuddyman." This horse from imported stock has left some nice animals in the Floral district.

Mr. James Roddy has donated \$10 to the Crossfield and District Agricultural Society, as a special prize for the best 1917 colt sired by his horse "Histrail" (2284). This notice is given to enable competitors to fit their colts for the fair.

Union Church.—Rev. H. M. Horricks, B.A., B.D., Pastor. Sunday, February 24th.

Services on east end of circuit.

Rodney, 11 a.m.; Elba, 3 p.m. and Crossfield at 7:30 p.m. Subject:

A report of the social service congress of Alberta.

Special music at evening service by the Orchestra.

Come and help the service by your presence.

A Social Evening at Rodney.—In spite of the low temperature a good number gathered at the Rodney School on Friday evening last, to take in the entertainment and box social. The programme which consisted of songs, stories and readings was enthusiastically received. The audience extended a hearty vote of thanks to the people of Crossfield who went out to assist in the evening's entertainment. The proceeds of the evening amounted to \$55 and will go for church purposes.

Dr. M. Mecklenburg, qualified, long experienced, and graduate Optician, will again be at Carstairs on Tuesday, March 5th. Charges are moderate.

Farmers Insure your Buildings in the Wawanesa Mutual Fire Insurance Co. A Company of the Farmers and for the Farmers only. Costs only about 35 cents a year for \$100 Insurance.

Chas. Hultgren, Agent.

### IMPORTANT NOTICE

#### To Our Subscribers:

It is a well known fact that the cost of everything has almost doubled in the last two years.

The Printer and Publisher has to pay for the necessities of living and materials along with the rest. Yet your local paper has remained one dollar a year.

Before the war the dollar rate was unprofitable, it costs more than that to produce a decent country weekly paper.

The war has made the old rate of a dollar quite impossible. Paper, ink and other articles have jumped beyond all reason.

The country weekly papers all over the Dominion have almost all raised their prices long ago, and we have come to the conclusion it is imperative on our part to do so.

We therefore give you all a chance to at least put it off a little longer. All who pay their subscription before the 1st of March next will get the benefit of the dollar rate, after that the price will be \$1.50 a year in advance. We ask those in arrears to pay up.

We wish to thank you all for your loyalty and support and hope for a continuance of the same. We are pleased to inform you that the circulation of The Chronicle keeps increasing week by week. Yours truly,

R. WHITFIELD.

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### A PUBLIC MEETING

To be held in the

I.O.O.F. HALL,

On **MONDAY, FEB. 25th,**

AT TWO P.M.,

**AN ADDRESS**

Will be given by

**Mr. R. A. BARRON,**

Organizer and Supervisor of Consolidated

Schools for Alberta.

All ratepayers of Crossfield and surrounding School Districts are requested to be present, also any others interested in the formation of a Consolidated School.

A Good Attendance is Expected. **EVERYBODY COME.**

#### Council Meetings

The council of the Village of Crossfield will meet in the Council Chamber over Fire Hall on the first Monday of each month, commencing with February at the hour of 8:30 o'clock p.m.

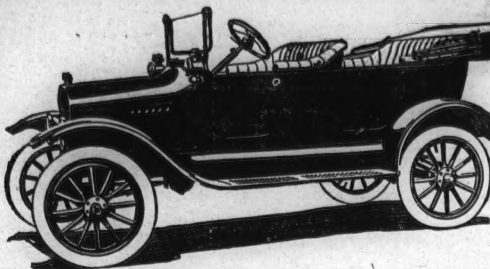
By Order of the Village Council.  
51-62. W. McIntyre, Sec.-Treas.

#### Land Wanted.

I have buyers for from a Quarter to a Section of Good Improved Land. What have you to sell. Particulars to E. Nunneley, 221-5th Ave. W., Calgary. Phone M. 6383.







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**WANTED**—To Rent for immediate possession, a Quarter or Half Section of Land, near a Railway Town. Must have Dwelling-House, Stabling for 20 head of Stock, Fenced and Water, with some breaking. Apply to F.O. Box 260, Calgary, Alberta.

## Why Hog Prices Must Remain High

Prior to the outbreak of the war Great Britain took practically all the hams and bacon produced by Denmark, Holland, Ireland, Canada and the United States. The total amount imported in 1913 was 661,000,000 pounds. In addition to the animal fats supplied through the medium of hams and bacon, Great Britain consumed large quantities of vegetable oils, especially olive oil. These were supplied chiefly by Italy, Greece, Turkey and Asia Minor.

At the present time the number of hogs slaughtered in Denmark is forty per cent less than it was in 1913, and the average weight of these is less than seventy-five per cent of the weight of those killed prior to the war; consequently, measured in pounds, the output of bacon in Denmark has been cut in two, and the bulk of this required for home consumption. At the present moment the Danish Government is seriously considering the advisability of prohibiting the exportation of pork altogether.

Holland has little to spare, and the supply from Ireland is reduced by one-half.

The supply of vegetable oils is also almost entirely cut off. Italy and Greece have little to spare, and Turkey and Asia Minor are controlled by the enemy.

The Argentine, Australia and New Zealand are not pork producing countries. In addition to this they are too far distant to permit of their contributing much to the meat supply of the Allies while the war lasts, because of the scarcity of ships to transport it.

To Canada and to the United States, Great Britain looks for a supply sufficient to cover the shortage in the imports from other countries; but the supply in Canada, in 1917 is twenty-seven per cent less than it was in 1916. Consequently it looks as if the burden must fall upon the United States alone unless the Canadian farmer mends his ways. So urgent is the need for meat that Lord Rhonda has reduced the meat ration of men and women engaged in hyrd outdoor labor to two pounds per week, or four and a half ounces per day, and he has notified them that unless they limit themselves to that amount voluntarily the entire country will be put on rations, and the limitation will be made compulsory. The allowance to those engaged in office work is even less.

Think of it: Englishmen, who are classed among the heaviest meat eaters in the world, reduced to four and a half ounces per day.

The hog population of Canada is three and a half million. The shortage in France alone is three million. With a shortage in Europe of thirty-three million hogs, and with men and women in Great Britain limited to four and a half ounces of meat per day (including weight of bone) how long will it take the world to put itself in a position to supply its normal requirements? And how long will it take Europe to make good the thirty-three million shortage? Can prices drop seriously before both of these are done?

Many will ask: "How do we know that we will get a fair share of the prices that will rule while this shortage is being made good, and how do we know that the packers will not appropriate the profits themselves, leaving the farmers to work for nothing?"

It must be admitted that there is justice in such a question. That we are fully protected cannot be claimed. As proof that we are better protected than we ever were before, we have to offer the assurance of the Food Controller that the profits of the packers will be limited to two per cent. Any profits in excess of this will be commandeered by the Government and applied in discharge of the public debt. Also the Food Controller of the United States has assured the hog growers of that country that he will do his utmost to keep hog prices above fifteen cents per pound. As the American market is open to Canadian spine growers, the producers of this country have this security in addition to what is offered by the Dominion. This is at least a step in advance of anything that has ever been guaranteed to the farmers in the past.

It is often contended that the packers are guaranteed a profit, while the farmers are not. This is a mistake. The packers are not guaranteed any profit whatever. Their profits are limited to two per cent. The profits of the farmers are not limited at all.

**Wanted—Farm Listings, for Sale or Rent, at once.**  
C. Hultgren.

**Wanted, Listings of Farm Lands**

**Wanted, Listings of Farm Land, direct from owners—Address**  
J. A. YOUNGER,  
700, Centre st., Calgary.

## Lodge Cards

CROSSFIELD LODGE I. O. O. F.

No. 42  
Meets Every Wednesday Night in the Oddfellows Hall at 8 p.m.  
Visiting Brothers Welcome.

R. W. McFARLANE, N. G.  
S. WILLIS, Rec.-Secy.  
A. JESSIMAN, Fin.-Sec.

## LOST

\$10 REWARD

The above reward will be given for information leading to the recovery of a Light Grey Girdling. Branded on the left shoulder.

Phone 508, Crossfield.

**LOST**—Reward for information leading to the recovery of Three head of Cattle. One Brown Yearling blood Colt, one two year old blood Colt and one Bay two year old Filly, she has a star on forehead and two white feet. No brands. Have been missing about two weeks. Please notify on the left shoulder.

L. V. BLISS, Crossfield.

**LOST**, on the trail between A. Ferguson's, Springfield Farm, and Crossfield, a LADY'S GOLD WATCH, on Tuesday, Jan. 29th. Anyone finding the same please phone 8916, Carstairs, or leave at Chronicle Office.

**LOST**, Russian Greyhound BITCH, almost pure white, with a few yellowish spots. Last seen on Saturday morning, January 26th, in Crossfield. A reward of \$5.00 will be given for information leading to recovery. G. M. PERRY, Crossfield.

## Estray.

One Black Cow, with white star on face, white on belly and white spot on stifle, also on left foot; turned in horns. Small animal with a short tail. Branded on left ribs as cat.

And on right ribs as bottom

Also one Red and White Heifer Calf, white spot on face, more white on hind quarters. Branded on right ribs. Both these animals are on the premises of Vern Griffin, N.E. ¼ of S. 25, Twp. 28, R. 19, W. of 4th.

GEO. McLEOD, Brand Reader.

## For Sale.

One Devel Plate Glass Mirror and frame 24 by 36 in. over all \$2.00; Three large backed upholstered Chairs, and one large Easy Chair, \$10.00; one Piano, Chappel brand, at condition \$100.00, may be seen at A. K. McLEAN'S.

Crossfield School District No. 732

The REGULAR MEETINGS of the above school Board will be held at the School House at 10 a. m. on the first Saturday of the following months: January, March, May, July, September and November. All matters of business pertaining to this district will be attended to at this meeting.

The office of the Sec.-Treas. is in the Crossfield Drug Store.  
A. R. THOMAS, Chairman.  
Merrick Thomas, Sec.-Treas.

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## Red Cross Notes

The Red Cross acknowledge with thanks the following donations and work.

Junior Red Cross, tea \$2.00  
Floral " " 1.60  
Crossfield " " 4.25  
Sale of buttons " 0.40

Work: Floral, 5 T bandages, 4 M-T. bandages, 2 stretcher caps, 2 suits pyjamas, Elba, 4 M-T. bandages, 4 suits pyjamas, 4 P.P. bags, 1 day shirt, 2 H.W.B. covers.

Junior Red Cross, 30 towels. Jean Whillans, 2 wash rags. Grace Sackett, 1 " Crossfield, 14 M-T. bandages. Mrs. Nicholson, 1 pair socks. " A. R. Thomas, 1 pairs socks. " W. McRoy, 1 " " C. McRoy, 1 " " Whitefield, 3 M-T. bandages. " Wolegde, 2 stretcher caps. " Cavender, 1 M-T. bandage.

\$150.00 was sent to Miss Pinkham for another three months subscription. \$45.00 for Prisoners of War, and \$105.74 for supplies.

The Red Cross Sewing Circle will meet at the home of Mrs. Cavender this week and next week with Mrs. Horricks.

The thing that goes the farthest Towards making life worth while, That costs the least and does the most, Is just a pleasant smile.  
Walter Taylor.

## Local and General

Dick Ontkes paid a business visit south on Saturday last returning on Wednesday.

Several of our local townspeople are suffering an attack of La-Grippe. The doctor being in great requisition.

The two chief occupations of man these days are bringing in coal and carrying out ashes. Oh! for a chinook.

The married people are having dance next Tuesday evening, Whist Drive and Dance to be held early in March. My, we are getting giddy, even in war times.

The regular meeting of the Crossfield Women's Institute will be held in the L.O.O.F. Hall, at 2-30 p.m., on Saturday, March 2nd. A programme will be given. Visitors will be welcome.

School Trustees and others interested in Consolidated Schools are invited to a Public Meeting, to be addressed by Mr. R. A. Barron, Organizer and Supervisor of Consolidated Schools for Alberta; to be held in the Oddfellows Hall, at Two o'clock, next Monday, Feb. 25.

Mrs. McMichael, mother of Mrs. Morrow, is seriously ill. The doctor gives little hopes of her recovery. We don't see why, even if she has reached the advanced age of 80 years she is full of determination and that held helps some.

Lost.—A Logging Chain, on the blind line going east, between W. Urquhart's gate in the coulee and his gate near the Cemetery. Finder please notify W. Urquhart.

I will buy your Coyote and Rat Hides, bringing them to me at Crossfield, or write me at Box 161, and I will call for them. GEO. M. PERRY.

## Armenian and Syrian Relief Fund

**Church of the Ascension**

Calgary, Alberta.

Feb. 16th, 1918.

Dear Madam:—I beg to acknowledge with thanks receipt of \$34.50 for the Armenian and Syrian Relief Fund. Will you please convey to the congregation and Sunday School my sincere appreciation of their generosity.

Yours truly,

T. HUMPHRIES,

Asst. Post Office Inspector.

Mrs. A. J. Wilson,

Crossfield, Alberta.

The response to an earnest appeal made in his sermon recently by the Rev. J. P. Dingle recently, for the Armenian Relief Fund, the sum of \$34.50 has been forwarded. Donated by the following: The Sunday School \$6, congregation \$28.50: Messrs. W. Laus, Medames Fox, S. H. Bray, Nicholson, Wolegde, Morrow, McLeod, G. Fraser, McFarlane, H. Schofield, W. McRoy, G. McRoy, Wilson.

## BIRTHS.

On the 29th ult., at Crossfield, to Mr. and Mrs. D. J. McFadyen, a son.

On the 12th February, at Sampsonston, to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Herzog, a daughter.

On the 15th February, at Stony Creek, near Crossfield, to Mr. and Mrs. George Bennie, a daughter.

On the 16th February, at the General Hospital, Calgary, to Mr. and Mrs. Morley Turner, a daughter.

The Regular Meeting of the Sunday Local of the U.F.A. will be held on Saturday afternoon, March 7th. After the ordinary business, Mr. Wm. Lowe, will give his report of the U.F.A. Convent at Calgary. Mr. John Morrison will also give a short talk on "The Farm Policy." A committee of men and women have been appointed to make arrangements for these meetings, in order to make them popular, and help to create a Social Interest in the community. Some of the children will recite their pieces. Come and get acquainted.

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**CHAS. HULTGREN,**

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